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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 09/878,707
 Applicant(s): Patrick G. RYAN and David P. JACOBS
 For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR IDENTIFYING A MARKET BY PROJECTING DEMAND AND IDENTIFYING SUPPLY
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Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals and Inteferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner, mailed January 23, 2006, and the Advisory Action mailed June 19, 2006, finally rejecting claims 20-29, and 30-32.

A Petition for Three-Months Extension of Time was previously filed on June 30, 2006 extending the response time to July 23, 2006.


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